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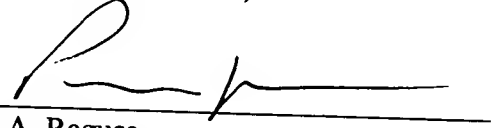
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above-identified U.S. patent application based upon Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-355367, November 22, 2000. A certified copy of this Japanese application is enclosed.

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